

members of the city council may decide to recede from their position treatment of the Salvation Army at session at the regular meeting next day night. On that evening Judge will appear before that body as a member, and the subject of his talk will be what he thinks ought to be done in treatment of the Salvation Army vigilists as to privileges in holding meetings.

one knows what he will say, but it is understood that he will endeavor to get a compromise by which all in the contention will be satisfied. Council by its vote instructed the to enforce the ordinance against kading the sidewalks and streets. validity of the ordinance has been tested by a jury which said that it is good and that the army people had acted its provisions.

A compromise is not reached the Salvationists will have to keep off the streets except when making parades.

#### FIRE AT DALTON CITY.

H. Taylor & Co's Implement House Struck by Lightning.

During the prevalence of the storm the east of Decatur last evening, the cultural store of W. H. Taylor & Co., Dalton City, on the line of the P. & D. E. road, was struck by lightning and destroyed by fire together with about a third of its valuable contents. The entire population turned to with brackets to fight flames. They worked successfully with the aid of the favorable breeze in preventing the ignition of Clark store and the Draper barber shop, the adjoining buildings.

The building was about 20x60 feet and was owned by James Henneberry. It was insured for \$700, company not known.

The implement stock was insured for \$2500

the German company, of Freeport.

John Uppendahl is Mr. Taylor's partner in the implement business.

#### Farmers Talk Politics.

There are quite a number of farmers in the city today, and generally they were gathered about in groups on the shady sides of the business streets talking politics, discussing the work of the national republican convention and the effect of the silver bolt on the state of the country.

Those in one group were most all agreed that the platform of the Republicans was just what was needed to restore confidence in the business world and one man said that McKinley and Hobart ought to be the unanimous choice of the American people for president and vice president.

There were some who were not quite sure what they would do—they would wait and see what would come to pass before election day. Several Republicans said they knew lots of Democrats who would never vote the Democratic ticket if the convention at Chicago in July declared for free silver. They would vote the Republican ticket straight.

#### Riverside Park Theatre.

Notwithstanding the threatening weather last night a good sized audience attended the performance of "Jealousy," at Riverside pavilion. Mr. J. F. Morrison was seen at his best in the part of Paul, and Miss Nerina Yenger proved herself a talented emotional actress in the part of Anna. The comedy parts were in the hands of Miss Blanche Hall and Mr. Mark E. Swan, who both received an ovation when they first appeared.

The pavilion is kept perfectly clean and perfect ventilation makes the pavilion the coolest place in town.

#### Tonight the beautiful comedy drama with specialties "A Dangerous Game."

Manager Ferguson will have enough cars at the close of the performance every night to carry thousands of people in one single trip. Remember that the admission is free to the patrons of the City Electric Railway company.

#### The New Building.

The work on the Schlauderman hotel on Front street is progressing rapidly. The hotel when completed will be a handsome structure. The exterior work is nearly completed.

The brick work on the Bobon building on East Eldorado street is being done. It will be some time yet before the place is ready for occupancy.

The Gebhart building on North Water street will soon be completed. The building looks much like the old one which was burned down.

#### Children's Day.

Tomorrow at the German M. E. church Children's Day will be observed. The pastor, Rev. J. C. Rapp, will preach to the parents and children in the morning and in the afternoon the children of the Sunday school will render a program.

#### Ball Games.

The mail carriers played the cigar-making this afternoon at the association park.

The Decatur Plumbing & Heating Company will play ball with the Mueller Manufacturing Company nine Sunday morning at the ball park.

#### Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Local thunderstorms of short duration were predicted for yesterday, but no meteorological conditions warranting a prophecy of serious atmospheric disturbance were noted Saturday.

Panic prevailed in a number of St. Louis houses when the gale started. Remained tumultuous by the recent tornado.

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## ST. LOUIS ALARMED.

The City Visited by Another Wind Storm Which Creates a Wild Panic.

## WIND'S FORCE 60 MILES AN HOUR.

Telephone, Telegraph and Trolley Wires Wrecked, Buildings Unroofed, Signs Carried Away, with Damages Amounting to Tens of Thousands.

St. Louis, Mo., June 22.—Terror invaded thousands of St. Louis homes yesterday afternoon in consequence of a fierce gale that for a brief period assumed the severity of a hurricane. A copious precipitation of rain preceded and accompanied the great wind; while half desponded for several minutes, and blinding flashes of lightning showed snapping trees and electric wire poles, falling walls, shaking houses, flying shingles and dislodged roofs.

Damages were done in every section of the city though the down-town district suffered least. The losses will run into the tens of thousands of dollars—the Missouri Electric Light and Power company being one of the heaviest losers.

When the storm ceased, a confused network of wires hung from broken poles and across drooping trees along Twenty-second street, from Market to Washington avenue. Fallen wires were reported at stores of places in different parts of town, and gangs of linemen were immediately sent out to repair the harm done as well as to avert casualties.

It was considered remarkable that there was not any loss of life or limb. While the storm did not come without previous warning, there were many persons outdoors when the gale's fury burst upon the city, and after it was over, a number of families were for a time apprehensive as to the safety of absent members.

Street car traffic was interrupted upon several lines, and the great damage done to wires considerably impaired the telephone and electric light services.

At 1:15 o'clock the roar of thunder sent a thrill of fear through the hearts of many who had been anxiously watching the sky sheet and chain lightning at frequent intervals revealed a mass of ugly clouds overhead. Gusts of wind presaged the on-set of the storm forces, and even before a drop of rain fell hundreds of St. Louisans hastened to points of safety.

The clouds commenced to unload themselves at 1:33 o'clock. Within ten minutes the rain was descending in great sheets that completely obscured the vision.

The temperature, which had shown 89 degrees at 1 o'clock, fell to 64 degrees, and the falling moisture further cooled the atmosphere.

Just as the rain became violent the gale started.

At 1:45 o'clock a stiff breeze from the northwest tore through Baden, howling dismally. A minute later it was succeeded by a still stiffer squall that drove the rain before it in twisting sheets.

Gust after gust of wind, each stronger than the one before it, whistled in from the northwest, until at 1:58 o'clock they gave way to a furious gale that carried signs, roofs, fences, foliage and shutters away.

From then until 2:03 o'clock the wind was at its height, blowing a hurricane at 2 o'clock. It was during those five minutes that most of the damage occurred.

Buildings that had lost strength in opposing the tornado of May 27 shook and trembled under the gale's assaults. Houses in course of repair from the recent disaster were again damaged. But, fortunately, the storm was not a "twister" like its terrible predecessor. Those objects that withstood its jerks were not picked up in an encircling grasp.

Only things, too weak to withstand a straight wind, going at the rate of sixty miles an hour, succumbed to yesterday's attacks. Yet there were many such objects.

Weather This Afternoon and Tuesday.

Chicago, June 22.—Illinois: Probably local showers tonight; Tuesday cooler extreme northwest; tonight variable winds.

Iowa: Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday, with showers south; variable winds.

South Dakota: Local showers tonight; probably fair Tuesday; variable winds.

Cattlemen Killed in a Collision.

Montpelier, Vt., June 22.—J. Soskind, of Chicago, and Edward Brown of Jacksonville, Wis., cattlemen, were killed and three others injured in a rear end collision on the Central Vermont road this morning, between the cattle train and the Montreal express.

Jameson Indicted.

London, June 22.—The grand jury indicted Dr. Jameson and his fellow raiders into the Transvaal for violation of the neutrality laws.

many persons rushed into cellars, closed themselves in vaults or sought shelter in similar places at the first intimation of danger.

Weeping women and trembling children clung to white-faced men while the storm's fury swept over the town. Even when the sun reappeared through a clear sky confidence was not completely restored and a number of wild rumors gained currency. One story in circulation was that nine persons were buried under a fallen house at Ninth and Biddle streets. Another report was circulated that the Anheuser-Busch brewery had been swept away.

These stories were hawked around until night, and even then, after failing of confirmation, they formed the foundation for more reasonable though still greatly exaggerated stories. But the storm, coming within a few weeks of the tornado and wrecking a great deal of property, caused a nervous shock to the community more painful than the financial damage was great.

Among those who suffered from the disaster of May 27, there was much depression of spirits. Men who had scarcely recovered from the despair occasioned by demolished homes and the death of relatives lapsed again into despondency.

In addition to the destruction of poles and wires, awnings were blown down and many buildings unroofed. Some of the buildings damaged by the late tornado suffered again.

A portion of the roof and wall of the Three-Mile house, on Western avenue, was blown away, the loss being \$1,000. This building is owned by George Conrades, and it suffered from the big tornado recently. It had only just been repaired, when the wind of yesterday swept away all of the new work. A tall smokestack in the rear of this place was also blown down.

The Burlington freight house, on the west side of Main street, between Franklin avenue and Biddle street, was again visited by the storm king.

Almost the entire roof had been torn off by the recent tornado, and it was being replaced, the workmen having nearly finished their contract. The storm took off a section of the roof measuring perhaps 75x30 feet, piling it promiscuously into Main street. The damage will probably reach \$200.

Bruno Freymark, a watchman employed by Fisher & Davis, just across the street from the freight house, crawled into an old boiler in front of the Fisher & Davis building, which was nearly wrecked by the late tornado, while the timbers of the roof were flying over the street.

This boiler furnished effectual shelter for Mr. Thomas Davis, a member of the firm, during the previous storm, an account of which was published in the Globe-Democrat.

The storm created much panic among the people due to the horrors of the late tornado. Men, women and children ran in all directions for shelter, and their countenances plainly indicated that they slate for a state ticket and that none has been made up to be nominated by the Democratic convention tomorrow. They say it is not a state slate making machine.

They intend that the representatives of the people shall nominate whomsoever the majority favor. Of course the availability of various candidates has been discussed. Attorney General Moloney says he is not a candidate for re-election and suggests his first assistant, T. J. Schofield, of Quincy, for the place. Chairman Hinrichsen says he does not believe the delegates-at-large will be instructed for any particular candidate for the presidential nomination. Morrison could have had the delegation had he remained in the field. There has been talk of instructing for Boies, of Iowa, but probably that will not be done. Neither Governor Altgeld nor Hinrichsen thought it probable that the national Democratic convention would nominate Teller.

If there are any delegates who do not believe Governor Altgeld will be re-nominated they have not yet arrived. No other candidate is in the field. It has been rumored he would not accept, but his close friends say he will. To the Associated Press reporter who asked him if he would accept the nomination if offered he replied: "You can say I am non-committal on that point." It is believed there will be some hot fighting for the other places; there are two to five candidates for each place. Delegations are here from Iowa and Missouri to work for instructions for Boies and Bland respectively for president.

ILLINOIS MAN HAS DISAPPEARED.

Prominent Citizen of Fulton Drops Suddenly Out of Sight.

Fulton, Ill., June 22.—Rufus E. Dade, a prominent citizen of this city, disappeared from his home early in June. He had drawn a large sum of money from the bank in the morning and had it with him when he was last seen by friends. He had been a resident of this city for thirty years. During that time he held many offices of trust, and at the time of his disappearance was supervisor and had some of the town funds in his possession.

He is about 60 years of age, weighs 180 pounds, is about 5 feet 9 inches in height, and wore at the time of leaving a heavy brown beard, a large part of which had become gray.

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## THE DEMOCRATS.

### DEAD AT THE THROTTLE.

Engineer Giddings of Burlington East Mail Killed in a Mysterious Way.

Burlington, Iowa, June 22.—The fast mail on the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy, Chicago to Omaha, came into Burlington with a dead man holding the throttle. The fireman noticed the failure of the engineer to signal for closing the draw on the bridge across the Mississippi at this point. He ran around the big boiler, which makes two compartments of the cab, and found the engineer, V. E. Giddings, dead at his post with a great gash in the side of his head. How it came there and how he met his death is not known. One explanation is that his head was crushed by a mail crane. How far the train ran with the dead man in control will never be known. Had the train been a minute sooner it would have gone through the draw into the river. The draw was just closed after letting a boat through.

### SAVED A CHILD.

Daring Feat of a Fireman in South Dakota.

Deadwood, S. D., June 22.—A fatal fire occurred in the Keystone restaurant at Sturgis. In the excitement the people rushed from the burning building and forgot an 8-year-old boy, the son of Mr. Foss, who was asleep in bed. An old workman employed at Fort Meade, who was formerly a fireman in St. Paul, threw off his coat and rushed into the building and brought the boy out. It was an act of heroism rarely witnessed and came near costing him his life. The child, however, was so badly burned that it died during the day.

### TEXAS DEMOCRATS.

Some Think the State Convention May Endorse Teller.

Austin, Texas, June 22.—Quite an additional in-pour of delegates to the Democratic conventions which meet here arrives

today and tomorrow. Judge Hardy, of the gold standard wing, reports most of his followers will come tonight and in the morning. The silver wing is getting its forces mustered slowly. They have about

decided to send eight delegates to Chicago to harmonize the factions. There is some

intimation that the convention will endorse Bland for president, though there is

some talk of endorsing Teller.

### PEORIA PLANING MILL BURNS.

Boys Cause a Loss of \$10,000—Only \$4,000 Insurance.

Peoria, Ill., June 22.—The planing mill of H. A. Bush & Sons was practically destroyed by fire early Sunday morning.

The loss is estimated at \$10,000, with \$4,000 insurance. The fire is supposed to have been started by boys.

### Proposition to Fortify Venezuela.

Washington, June 22.—Word has been received here from Sir Augustus Hemming that the new governor general of British Guiana is meeting with the same

policy of foreign Secretary Chamberlain to buy Maxim guns to fortify the Venezuelan frontier. The high court opposed his resolution to that end and he was

obliged to withdraw it to prevent defeat.

### Consul General Lee's Report.

Washington, June 22.—It is not believed in official circles that the report of

Consul General Lee at Havana, can be

so much as to materially affect the attitude

of this government toward Spain. The

consul general is cooped up in Havana

and is not in a situation to know about

the progress of the conflict.

### Gentry on Trial.

Philadelphia, June 22.—Actor James

B. Gentry, who shot and killed Margaret

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## COUNTY TICKET.

For States Attorney.....Isaac R. Mills

For Circuit Clerk.....David L. Foster

For Coroner.....Jesse E. Bendure

For Surveyor.....George V. Loring

If the Democratic national convention fails to nominate Teller for president it will take a good deal of the patriotism out of the bolters.

The Iowa Democrats in 1890 declared in favor of free silver. A year ago they declared for sound money and at their last convention they declared again for free silver and yet Boise talks about the principles of the Democratic party.

## Protection the Great Issue.

It was not the money question that aroused the American people and caused the demand for the nomination of William McKinley for president but the tariff question. The Democratic leaders have been telling the country that that question has been settled. The people do not accept that as a dismissal of the question.

With the millions of idle workmen in the idle mills and the prostration of business, due to the destruction of the demand for labor and the consequent depression of the power of the people to buy and consume, it is useless to cry prosperity when there is no prosperity and no inducement for capital to operate along lines that will give employment to labor. There was prosperity under the McKinley tariff law. The mills were running and new ones were being added. The plush industry, the cotton tie industry, the tin and other industries were being created giving additional sources to which labor could apply for employment. Under the reciprocity provisions of that bill treaties had been entered into by the Harrison administration with other countries which opened markets for the products of our factories and our farms. All this was stricken down by the free traders who came into power and prostration took the place of prosperity. The people have become disgusted with the promises that prosperity would soon return and they have turned their faces away from false promises, false hopes, and a false currency, and they demand again the restoration of the American policy of protection and they turn to McKinley as the embodiment of the great principle they want restored. The nomination of McKinley makes the leading issue of the campaign protection and the party cannot afford to permit itself to be forced by the Democratic party which has put itself in a position where it dares not make a campaign against protection, and for that reason is trying to force another issue to the front, to accept the money question as the leading issue. It is not the leading issue except with the poverty-stricken Democratic failure.

The Democratic party has been a free silver party since 1878 until Grover Cleveland taught better those of the party who are patriotic enough to be teachable. The Republican party has always stood for honest money and there never has been a day or an hour since the free coinage of silver was stopped when the Republican party has not been against the free coinage of that metal. Conditions not of its own making caused the Republican party in its recent national convention to declare its opposition to the free coinage of silver and repudiate itself to the present gold standard but in doing so it is not the purpose of the party to make the money question the leading issue. It has not been the habit to permit the Democratic party to fix its issues and it has not done so now, but as it pleads for the restoration of an American tariff for the prosperity of America it will also make war on the Democratic party in its effort to debase the currency of the country and add to the calamities it brought in 1893. The Republican party stands first for good and prosperous business and second for sound and stable money to do business on.

## A Little Currency Catechism.

The Chicago Times-Herald:

Q. What is the whole body of currency of the United States today?

A. Paper, \$475,000,000; silver, \$610,000,000; gold, \$612,000,000.

Q. What is the existing money standard of the country?

A. Gold, by means of which all the silver and all the paper are worth 100 cents to the dollar.

Q. What would be the effect if we should abandon the existing gold standard?

A. All the gold would leave the country in accordance with the never questioned law that a superior money will not remain in a country where an inferior money is the standard. Silverites admit that gold is 16 times more valuable than silver. That is what the "ratio of 16 to 1" means. In truth, today gold is 32 times more valuable than silver.

Q. What amount of money would be thus withdrawn from the country if the silver standard should be substituted for the gold standard?

A. Six hundred and twelve million dollars, contracting the currency to that amount and crippling the country accordingly.

Q. If the silver standard were substituted for the existing gold standard, what would be the effect on the silver now worth 100 cents to the dollar?

A. The entire quantity of silver dollars would be worth their weight in silver per ounce, which varies from week to week like the price of wheat, and the immediate effect would be to reduce the \$610,000,000 to \$605,000,000, the present value of silver per ounce in the coins, thus contracting the currency of the country to this additional amount, making a total contraction of \$97,000,000.

Q. What would be the effect on the paper in our currency if we should substitute the silver standard for the existing gold standard?

A. The \$475,000,000 of paper, today worth 100 cents to the dollar, on the existing gold standard, would at once decline to 50 cents on the dollar on the silver standard, based on the price of silver today, the immediate effect being to reduce the value of the paper now in the currency to \$237,500,000.

Q. By abandoning the existing gold standard for the silver standard, what then would be the first net result?

A. The loss to the country of \$11,154,500,000, every dollar worth 100 cents by reason of the existing gold standard.

Q. What do you deduce from this?

A. That we need all the money we have and that we want every dollar to be worth 100 cents.

Q. How can we keep all the money we have and keep every dollar worth 100 cents?

A. By preserving the existing gold standard.

Put this little currency catechism in your pocket.

## PERKINS' DEMOCRATIC PRAYER.

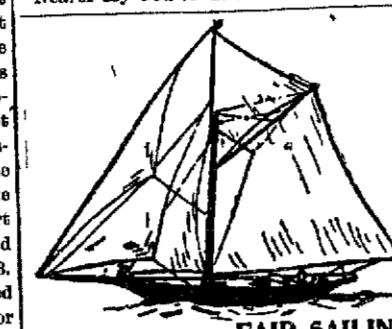
(To be repeated every morning before breakfast)

Our Father, Cleveland, who art in Washington, we once more beseech ourselves to come before thee to offer unto thee our many excuses and apologies for the blunders that we have made. We admit, oh, father, that we have sinned against thee and against thy platform. We know, oh, father, that we pledged ourselves to a

platform for revenue only and to an honest and economical administration. We admit, oh, father, that we made the people believe that by our wisdom we would bring great prosperity to a suffering people. We admit, oh, father, that we told the farmers that under our tariff reform he would get everything for nothing, but instead of that, oh, father, to our great horror and surprise, he gets nothing for everything, and our efforts have been

crowned with low prices, depression in business, panics, strikes, riots, Cozy crusades, and all manner of labor troubles, which is most disgusting both to thee and to us. Oh, father, wouldst thou help us to find some method by which we can cover up our tracks. Help us to find some avenue of escape by which we can extricate ourselves from this most excruciating torture. Help the people all over this country to forget this administration. Help us once more to make the people believe that we are a new-born sun that can safely lead the people to the promised land. Help us, oh, father, to speedily unite on some sort of a degraded money platform by which all the Popu-

lists will come to us. Help us to count all the side shows. Blessed are the Prohibitionists, that is, all those that will conform to our political principles. Now, oh, father, we would ask thee to help us to try to find out what is the matter with us, what we are doing and where we are going and if we decide that free silver is the thing, then, oh, father, may the Pro-Populists and all the side shows flock to us and may they all wind up as Cockrel and Moore did and all sing with the one harmonious song of Free Silver, "Nearer My God to Thee." Amen.



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One fare for round trip to San Francisco via Wabash on June 15th, 16th, 23rd and 24th. Tickets good 60 days, with stop-over privileges.

On the first Tuesday of every month one way tickets to principal points in the South at one cent per mile.

Milwaukee, Wis., account H. Y. P. U. One fare round trip, \$1.50. Sell July 15, 16, 17. Good returning July 2nd.

Milwaukee, Wis., account National Republican League, August 25 to 27. One fare round trip.

St. Paul, account National Encampment, G. A. R., one cent per mile. Sell August 31 and Sept. 1st. Good returning till Sept. 30.

Omaha, Neb., account Evangelistic Conference and Annual Institute and Convention of the Young People's Christian Union. One fare round trip, \$1.50. Sell August 15, 16, 17. Good returning for 20 days.

Washington, D. C., account Y. P. S. C. E., one fare round trip, \$1.50. Sell July 4, 5, 6, 7; good returning July 31.

St. Louis, account Populist National Convention and National Silver Convention. One fare round trip. Meeting June 1st.

St. Louis, Mo., account Wabash. Tickets sold every Sunday afternoon and Sunday. One fare round trip. Sunday excursi in tickets at one fare round trip are sold to all points of St. Louis Division. Good going and returning only on day of sale.

Highland Excursions June 5th and 28th, to principal points in the West, one fare for the round trip plus \$2.00. Tickets good returning every Tuesday and Friday for 40 days.

Buffalo, N. Y., account National Educational Association. One fare, plus \$2.00, round trip. Sell July 5 and 6, good returning till Sept. 1st.

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## Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Robert Carrols, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed administrator of the estate of Robert Carrols, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the August term, on the 1st day of August, 1896, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 16th day of June, 1896.

WILLIAM B. NEWELL, Executor.

June 4-18-22

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Dated the 17th day of June, 1896.

MARY J. McCONNELL, Executrix.

June 17-21-25

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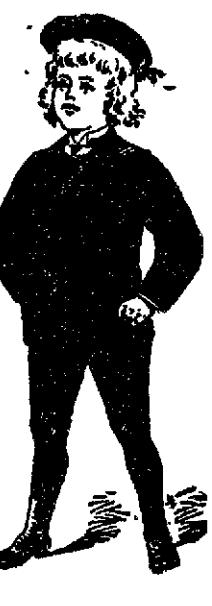
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Our stock of Wash Suits for Little Fellows, 3 to 8, ARE VERY CHEAP, 50c, 75c, \$1.00, 1.50. Dark and light effects.

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### LOCAL NEWS.

Council meeting tonight.

Denz, Tailor, 117 North Water St.

Go to Henry's bakery for all kinds of bread, cakes, pies, etc. June 22nd.

Whitley handles none of the inferior grade chocolates.

Batification meeting tonight. McKinley and Hobart.

Call for the Michl cigars—Little Rose and Bouquets.

Dr. H. P. Bachman, dentist rooms 7, 8 and 9, in Temple block. 5 dtf.

### USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

Dr. L. E. Coonradt, Dentist rooms 42 and 43 Fenton block. Aug 24th.

Sleeth is the only photographer in the city who guarantees satisfaction.

There are to be several picnics this week at Fair Lawn park.

Smoke the famous Leda, a fine 10 cent.

er, made by John Weigand. Mch 25th.

The old reliable K & W cigars are made by John Weigand. Mch 25th.

Give the Grand Opera cigars, made by John Weigand, a trial. Sold everywhere. Mch 25th.

The famous Haines upright and Reed & Son's pianos are on sale only at the C. E. Prescott music house.

The Grand Opera House signs made by Johnny Weigand are the best in town. mch 25th.

### USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

Car 23 brought in three heavily loaded trailers from the ball park Sunday afternoon. The four cars looked like a train.

BEST Imported Cement for Side-  
walks; warranted. Decatur Rock Plaster Co., new 'phone 528.

In the county court Saturday John Oren was declared insane, the result of injuries received in the late war. Mr. Oren is 60 years of age.

The Christian Endeavor picnic at Riverside park will take place on Thursday of this week. All Endeavorers in the county are expected to be at the park that day to enjoy the occasion.

### USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

The new superintendent of the city schools at Danville will be Prof. J. E. Bryan, of Litchfield. He will be the successor of Prof. Joseph Carter who will be located at Champaign in the future.

Attend the tabernacle meeting tonight in the Tabernacle. There will be good speaking and the kind of talk and logic to suit those who have grown tired of the tough times and want to know how to bring about a favorable change. Democrats are especially invited to turn out and hear the Republican gospel.

No better soft coal in this market than Lincoln or Riverton. Buy it at M. F. Metz. Personally he can be found at the yard office, 800 North Broadway. For Broadway office; Old Phone 438; New Phone 435. Also leave orders with T. W. Cann 628 North Main or with Harry Metz at King & Metz' drug store. Hard coal all sizes, always in stock at market prices. Nov. 11th.

The young gents from the tornado city who came to Decatur to play ball gave the local team the shivers in the first three innings Sunday, but after that it was all up with them. The Decatur slugs got onto Mr. Wallace's straight shots and they batted him at will in the fourth inning until they actually grew weary. They got seven hits and nine runs and when the agony was over the score was 19 to 8 in favor of Manager Stookey's slugs.

The Exercises.

Appropriate remarks in memory of departed members were offered by the following brothers and sisters:

By C. J. Hartley for Henry Stafford,

who became a member of Celestial lodge,

189, by initiation February 22, 1868; died

October 16, 1895.

By Mrs. Delabie for Mrs. Ashbrook,

who was a member of Columbia lodge,

189, daughter of Rebekah, and died during

the present year.

Albert Leach for James Cowther, who

became a member of Celestial lodge by

initiation August 10, 1874, and died June

20, 1896.

By Mrs. Lowry for Mrs. Bachman, late

member of Progress lodge, 141.

By D. C. Corley for Richard A. Newell,

who became a member of Celestial lodge by

initiation May 4, 1874; died May 6, 1896.

By Mrs. Adam Seeforth for Mrs. Ruth-

er, late member of Progress lodge, 141.

By George Bell for J. Frank Kazar, who

became a member of Celestial lodge by

initiation June 12, 1891, and died April 22,

1896.

By C. M. Lytle for Charles E. Smith,

who became a member of Celestial lodge

by initiation March 3, 1886, and died May

22, 1896.

WILL Elect Officers.

At the meeting of the Illinois Grain

Dealers' association to be held tomorrow

at the Knights of Pythias hall in the

opera block, among other business to be

transacted is the election of officers for the

ensuing term. In all probability most of

the old officers will be chosen to serve

again. The president is Mr. Baxter, of

Taylorville, and the secretary is B. S. Ty-

ler, of Decatur. There will be a banquet

to close the session.

### SUNDAY AT THE CHURCHES.

Services Which Took Place Yesterday at

the Different Houses of Worship

of the City.

At the First Methodist church Sunday

Rev. W. H. Musgrave, of Jacksonville,

occupied the pulpit in the absence of the

pastor, Rev. Howe, who is taking his

vacation. In the evening Mr. Musgrave

preached an able sermon and made a good

impression on the congregation. He as-

sured that worldly objects would not

bring happiness without religion. Wealth,

the search for pleasure and the

gain of renown were spoken of as the

main worldly objects which people strive

to attain. None of these alone would

satisfy anyone and if a person were given all

of these they could not be happy without

a belief in religion. The speaker said

that it was necessary to have Christianity

if true contentment and happiness were

to be enjoyed.

Rev. Musgrave was pastor of Grace

Methodist church about ten years ago

and is well known by many persons in

the city. Next Sunday the pulpit of the

church will be occupied by Rev. Wilder,

of Bloomington. Christian Endeavor Services.

The members of the Christian Endeavor

society had charge of the services at the

First Baptist church Sunday evening.

There was a large attendance of both

members of the society and of the church.

Addressess were given on the following

topics: "What Christian Endeavor

Stands For," Miss Mary M. Wood; "Our

Local Society," Wilbert F. Funk; "Our

Other Societies," Norman Coughlin. A

soliloquy entitled "Angel Land," was rendered

by Miss Beatrice Howard.

### Other Church Matters.

Sunday morning at the services of the

Cumberland Presbyterian church held in

the W. C. T. U. rooms Rev. Hawkins, the

pastor, preached on the subject, "Lessons

from the St. Louis Convention and Its

Napoleon." In the evening he preached a

sermon about the two boys who were

drawn recently at the Sangamon river.

The members of the Westminster Guild

will give a musical entertainment next

Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. W.

J. Brown, No. 327 South Main street.

The proceeds of the entertainment will be

used to repair the furnace of the chapel.

The ladies of the missionary society of

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Special this week,  
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## MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO, Ill., June 22, 1896.  
The REPUBLICAN is indebted to B. Z. TAYLOR,  
dealer in grain, provisions and hardware,  
respondents in Chicago, New York, Minneapolis  
and St. Louis for the following market quotations:

	Open-	High-	Low-	Clos-
Wheat—				66 1/2
June.....	57	57 1/4	56 1/2	56 1/2
July.....	58 1/4	58 1/2	57 1/2	57 1/2
Sept. ....				27 1/2
Corn—				27 1/2
June.....	28	28	27 1/2	27 1/2
July.....	29	29	28 1/2	28 1/2
Sept. ....				27 1/2
Oats—				10 1/2
June.....	17	17 1/4	16 1/2	16 1/2
July.....	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Pork—				17 1/2
June.....	6 97 1/2	7 00	6 97 1/2	6 97 1/2
July.....	6 05	6 07 1/4	6 05	6 05
Lard—				4 06
June.....				4 06
July.....				4 06
Rib—				3 70
July.....	8 72 1/2	8 72 1/2	8 70	8 70
Sept. ....				8 70
Wheat: puts, 50c; calls, 58 1/4; carb, 57 1/2.				
TO-DAY'S RECEIPTS—OAR LOTS.				
Wheat—15; Estimated, 15; Year ago, 25.				
Corn—30; Estimated, 40; a year ago, 143.				
Gats—22; Estimated, 23; a year ago, 223.				
ESTIMATES FOR TO-MORROW.				
Wheat, 25; Corn, 57; oats, 500.				
LONDON, 1 p. m.—Oar coast: Wheat, quiet; corn quiet. On passage: Wheat, buyers indifferent; operators, corn, quiet and steady. English country markets partially cheaper, gd. French country markets firm.				
LIVERPOOL, 1 p. m.—Wheat, spot, steady; futures steady. Corn spot, steady, futures steady.				
Hog receipts 33,000, estimated 39,000. Market 50 to 100 lower. Light, \$3.12 to \$3.45; mixed, \$3.00 to \$3.30; heavy, \$3.06 to \$3.15; rough, \$2.70 to \$2.90. Estimated for to-morrow, 17,000. Cattle receipts 16,000; market strong.				
NEW YORK STOCKS.				
NEW YORK, June 22—Stocks opened lower, industrials showing sharp declines; railways fractional. Half a million dollars in gold were taken for export. The market was still weak at 11 o'clock.				
The market was steady soon after eleven and a fractional recovery ensued. The improvement was stimulated by London purchases. The early slump was caused by alleged apprehension of difficulties with Spain. At noon the market was well held.				
NEW YORK MARKET.				
NEW YORK, June 22—Wheat, steady, July, 62 1/2; Corn, July, 34 1/2; Oats, July, 21 1/2.				
NEW YORK, June 22—Butter, steady, 81 1/2; Eggs, 10 1/2.				
ST. LOUIS MARKET.				
ST. LOUIS, June 22—Wheat, cash, No. 2, red, 55c; July, 64 1/2c; Corn, cash, 25 1/2c; July, 26 1/2c; Oats, cash, 17; July, 17.				
PEORIA QUOTATIONS.				
PEORIA, June 22—Corn, steady, No. 2 27c. Oats, easy, No. 2, white, 17 1/2. Rye nominal.				
DECATUR STOCK MARKET.				
The following are the ruling prices paid by local dealers for stock:				
Cows and Heifers.....	2,500 to 2,000			
Steers.....	3,500 to 2,500			
Hogs.....	3,750 to 2,500			
Calves.....	8,000 to 4,000			
Sheep.....	3,000			
Export Cattle.....	8,000 to 4,500			
POULTRY MARKET.				
Corrected daily by Max Atiss & Co.:				
Hens.....	6c per lb.	11 1/2c per lb.		
Spring.....	4c per lb.	7c per lb.		
Ducks.....	4c per lb.	10c per lb.		
Eggs.....	10c per lb.	40c per lb.		
Roosters.....	30c per lb.	40c per lb.		
Turkey hens.....	100c per lb.	240c per lb.		
Tom turkeys.....	100c per lb.	240c per lb.		
Gobblers.....	10c per lb.	240c per lb.		
Beebe.....	20c per lb.			
Penney Wise and Foulard Foolish				
are they who have not Foley's Colic and Diarrhoea Cure as a safeguard in the				
Naisher Drug & Supply Co. and				
N. L. Krone.				
In the Police Court.				
A man who gave his name as Peter Peterson was fined \$8 and costs this morning by Justice Odor.				
The case of Hogle, the saloon keeper who was charged with keeping open his place on Sunday came up this morning in Justice Shorb's court. The case was continued until next Wednesday.				
The Apostolic Christian denomination at Deer Creek now worship in their new church building.				
An agent bought the three deer owned by B. T. Stoddard, of Danville, for La Pearl's sideshow.				
Attorney Lott Herrick of Farmer City is one of the speakers for the Fourth of July celebration at Mansfield.				
The various young people's societies of Decatur county will celebrate the Fourth at Peoria Park.				

**ARCHITECTURE.**

ART IN ARCHITECTURE.  
Plans of a Residence Conveniently Arranged and Neat in Design. Written for This Paper.

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## SCHOOL AND CHURCH.

—Rev. Dr. Parkhurst is learning to ride a wheel. He practices at an up-town rink and wears a picture-like costume when he rides.

—A Gaelic society for the study of the Irish language has been established among the students of Trinity college, Dublin. In the Tuam News one tradesman advertises his wares in Gaelic.

—Interest in English studies is not great in England. Prof. Skeat for over a year has tried to raise \$2,000 for an English lectureship at Cambridge, giving \$1,000 of it himself, and has only obtained \$200 in subscriptions.

—Rev. William Sulter, D. D., has been pastor of the Congregational church of Burlington, Ia., for 50 years. He celebrated his semi centennial one Sunday recently and used the same text from which he preached his first sermon in Burlington.

—Dr. Ernest B. Sangree, of Philadelphia, has been elected professor of pathology and bacteriology in Vanderbilt university, Nashville, Tenn. He is at present pathologist to the Philadelphia hospital and a professor in the Medico-Chirurgical college of Philadelphia, and has made for himself a distinguished name as a medical scientist.

—The 70th anniversary of the founding of the Congregational Home Missionary society will take place in New Haven, Conn., on June 2. At the same time and place three other societies will meet—namely: The Congregational College and Educational society, the Congregational Church Building society and the Congregational Sunday School and Publishing society.

—Father Elliott, of the Paulist Fathers of New York city, apparently does not agree with the Boston Pilot that the Anglican church is a feeder to the church of Rome. At his recent mission to Protestants some one asked him if this was true, and his reply was: "From my observation it is not true that the Anglican church furnishes the largest number of converts."

## HOW AIGRETTE ARE OBTAINED.

Protest Against a Fashion Based on the Suffering of Birds.

Those humane workers who are laboring to dissuade women from using whole birds to adorn their hats and bonnets are now turning their attention with equal energy against the use of the aigrette. Nowoman, certainly no mother, would ever buy another aigrette if she realized what its providing for her use meant. In a circular sent out recently this is shown:

"These little feathers," says the circular, "were provided by nature as the nuptial adornment of the white heron, or egret. Many kind-hearted women, who would not on any account do a cruel act, are, by following this fashion, causing the continuance of a very great cruelty. The aigrette in nearly all cases is made of the slender decomposed feathers that grow at one time of the year on the birds' backs and drop gracefully over their sides and tails. The less fine plumes, with shorter and stiffer filaments, are from the squacco heron, which is not an egret. The best time to attack them is when the young birds are fully fledged, but not able to fly, for at that time the solicitude of the parent birds is greatest, and, forgetful of their own danger, they are most readily made victims. When the killing is finished and the few handfuls of coaxed feathers have been plucked out, the slaughtered birds are left in a white heap to fester in the sun and wind, in sight of their orphaned young, that cry for food and are not fed. There is nothing in the whole earth so pitiable as this—so pitiable and so shameful—that for such a purpose human cunning should take advantage of this feeling and instinct which we regard as so noble in our own species, and as something sacred—the tender passion of the parent for its offspring, which causes it to neglect its own safety and to perish miserably, a sacrifice to its love."

"It is when in this gayer dress that the birds are most valuable for the purposes of fashion, and for other forms of decoration; nor is this all; it is then that they are most easily found and taken. The shiest, most secretive kinds lose all their wild instinct in their overwhelming anxiety for the safety of their eggs or young. And when the poor bird is uttering piercing cries, its sensitive frame quivering, its bill gaping, as if the air could no longer sustain it in its intense agitation, and fluttering its loving wings to make them more conspicuous, and by such means draw the danger away from its treasures and on to itself, it is ruthlessly shot for its feathers."—N. Y. Times.

## Court on Its Dignity.

A tourist going through a southern rural region went into a little red brick courthouse in a town of about 200 inhabitants. A case of larceny was on trial before a long, sallow, yellow-bearded man who was "the judge." One of the witnesses, a wild-eyed, long-haired, belligerent-looking man, became greatly excited while giving his testimony and began using some extremely profane language, whereupon the judge brought his fist down heavily on his pine table desk and said: "Have a keer what kind o' langwidge you use in this here court, Leon Shanks! You got to respect the dignity of this court or blamed if I don't walts ye out behind the courthouse when we adjourn an' lick a little respect into ye."—Detroit Free Press.

Curious Version of the Scriptures.

Anthony Purver, a poor Quaker carpenter, published in two folio volumes, in 1764, a literal version of the Old and New Testaments, curious for its Hebrew idioms. There are such phrases as "A hind let go may exhibit gentle Naphtali; he gives fine words," for "Naphtali is hind let loose; he giveth goodly words;" "I am he who am," for "I am that I am," and "Poem of Solomon," instead of "Song of Solomon," for "song," he says, "is of profane use."—Chicago Inter Ocean.

## Riverside Park Theatre.

Tonight at Riverside park the second and last production of "The Telegram" will be given. The play is well known and well liked and further comment is superfluous. Riverside park is rapidly gaining popularity. When Mark E. Swan first opened the pavilion he had to contend against the prejudice of a number of people who claimed that only the undesirable element of society would visit it and the plays would be of a character to draw them but this impression has been dispelled. The place is frequented by orderly, respectable people and on one or two evenings leaders of the local society have been seen occupying reserved seats. The plays so far have been excellent. A sensation is promised this week in "Nana."

Democratic State Convention at Peoria, June 23rd.

For the above occasion the P. D. & E. railway will sell tickets to Peoria at one fare for the round trip, good going June 20 to 23rd inclusive, returning until the 27th. The P. D. & E. trains run so that they will accommodate all. Notice the time card elsewhere in this issue. For further information or tickets call on W. L. Smith, ticket agent, Union depot, or T. Pennwill, city ticket agent. A. G. Palmer, G. P. A., Evansville, Ind.

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## FOR SALE.

DRUG AND BOOK STORE FOR SALE—The

Eichinger stock of Drugs and Books, in

cluding a four year lease.

S. S. JACK, Assurance.

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17-83

FOR SALE.

Eight hundred dollars buys three

houses and a building on North Church street. One-half cash, balance easy.

You can make 50 per cent on them by holding until spring. Come and let me show them. Peter H. Brueck, real estate broker, 215 North Main street.

Nov 15-83

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One-half acre building on North Church street. One-half cash, balance easy.

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Good residence property on south

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block. Seven rooms on 1st & 2d floors, basement, kitchen, dining room and cellar under the house. First class Plaza King furnace good with house. Fifty-foot lot, wide driveway extra. Large and elegant house. On paved street and street cars pass door. W. P. Shadet, 30-83

FOR SALE.

Horses on Easy Payments.

We have some good work horses which we

can sell on the installment plan, or on long time.

Also two good mow cows very cheap. Apply at

Johncock's stable at west end of North Main street.

April 20-83

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Ten well-kept Illinois farms, worth from \$1,000 to \$12,000 each; Indiana farms, worth from \$1,000 to \$12,000 each; \$1,000, 7,000 acres in Cross, Woodford and Jackson counties, Ark.; well-tilled, productive soil, near town and railroad; price, \$600 per acre. Address J. F. HYATT, Coal City, Ind. June 5-83

MONEY TO LOAN.

Farm loans and City loans. Lowest rates and most favorable terms. C. E. GIVEN, 605 Main Street, Decatur.

No draw.

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For cash or for cash in hand, subject to re

demption according to law, the real estate in

said decree ordered to be sold being described as follows:

Lot 100 (9), block one (1) of S. K. Thompson's addition to Decatur, in said Macon county of the State of Illinois.

Dated at Decatur, Illinois, this 10th day of June, A. D. 1896.

JAMES J. FINN, Master in Chancery.

OUTEN & ROBY, Solicitors.

June 20-83

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## A BABY ELEPHANT.

Just Brought from the Jungles of India to New York.

Is a Vigorous Little Beast with a Prodigious Appetite—Story of Her Capture—Her Parents Killed by the Hunt-ers Who Took Her.

Pinta, a baby elephant weighing 800 pounds, arrived the other day in New York on the steamer Port Adelaide from Singapore, India. Nine weeks ago a hunting party left Singapore to search the jungles for tigers. There were 15 in the party, six Europeans and nine natives. One day they came upon Pinta and her mother. They had no paraphernalia for trapping elephants, but they resolved to make captives of the two. Mrs. Elephant, as soon as she became aware of their presence, hustled her baby along in an effort to escape. She trumpeted loudly as she fled, and soon there came from the depths of the jungle the answering bellow of her mate, Pinta's papa.

There was a crashing of trees and then he appeared, a tremendous beast, with a swinging trunk and the light of battle in his twinkling eyes. The hunters made up their minds that they had a bigger fight on their hands than they had bargained for and began to shoot at the massive brute who came charging down upon them. Two luckless natives were unable to get out of his way. One of them was caught in the long trunk and dashed to the ground. He was killed instantly. The life of the other was crushed out beneath a ponderous foot. The survivors rained bullets upon the elephant. Finally one entered his eye and he fell dead.

The mother had been disabled early in the fight and she and the baby were captured. They were taken to Singapore, where they were purchased by the agents of an animal dealer in New York city, who shipped them at once on the Port Adelaide. The mother had been wounded fatally, and when the ship was five days out she died.

Pinta is three feet eight inches in height and measures eight feet from the tip of her trunk to the end of her tail. Her body is four feet long. Every day she eats 25 raw eggs in a pint of port wine, ten loaves of bread and 25 pounds of hay.

## WOMEN MOONSHINERS.

They Are Accused of Unlawful Manufacture of Mountain Dew.

In the latest raid of the United States marshals in Kentucky and Tennessee a dozen women were arrested and eight of them are in the Covington jail.

"Pretty as a picture" does not apply to these mountain maidens. Eliza Vaughan was arrested four months ago and brought to Covington. When she was first brought in she refused to speak a word to anyone for two weeks. She finally broke the spell of silence, since which time she has been in the best of spirits. She married a man who managed to get rid of all her money and then deserted her. She then joined the moonshiners, but protests her innocence.

Julia Ison is a comely lass and was betrayed to the officers by a lover whom she had rejected. She declared her innocence, and says as soon as she gets through with the court she intends to make her home in Cincinnati. She is 21.

Minnie Oakley, aged 16, of Elliott county, is the youngest of the prisoners. She says Mary Eversole, who is also a prisoner in the Covington jail, told her and she told on Mary.

Mary and Nancy Howard, of Elliott county; Holly Mullis and Susie Coot, of Big Tennessee Creek, and Ellen Bunn, of Menefee county, all protest their innocence. Besides the eight women there are 70 male moonshiners in the Covington jail.

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## IN A BUNCH OF BANANAS.

An Opossum, with Her Family, Takes Cheap Passage from Honduras.

The creature variously known as a banana rat, or crab-eating opossum, or bilander, which was found in a bunch of bananas by Wagner & Sons, of 165 South Water street, Chicago, and turned over to Animal-Keeper Sweeney of the Lincoln park "Zoo" is one too many for the keeper. Perhaps it should be said that she is several too many, for she is "toting" not less than four young ones in her pouch. The animal's bad temper precludes the taking of a census.

The stowaway from Honduras belongs to the family called Macroscelidae, of which the kangaroo and other pouched animals, or marsupials, are members. It has a head which resembles that of the opossum, and when at bay it hisses quite like the favorite quarry of the southern hunter. It has the short arms and long hind legs of the kangaroo. Its body is nearly a foot long and covered with light brown hair. The tail, which is about 12 inches in length, is ringed, bare and prehensile. The rat has the hand of the opossum.

Mr. Wagner says that a male of the species came to the market about six years ago, but that it lived but a short time. Keeper Sweeney picked one up in Florida when he was on the road, but that, too, was short-lived, and on this account he fears that the new acquisition may not find this climate hospitable.

## TAP THE TROLLEY WIRES.

Not Less than a Thousand Business-Men of Brooklyn Accused.

When a merchant in Brooklyn, N. Y., wants to illuminate his place of business by a superior quality of electricity he goes out and secretly taps the nearest and handiest trolley wire. More than a thousand persons are said to be guilty of this offense, and they do not have to go far for a light supply, for that section of the universe which reluctantly became a part of greater New York lies under a mesh work of copper trolley feed wires.

The trial of Richard Rodemacher, a saloon keeper in the city of churches, for stealing the electric current, brought to light a sad state of affairs. In his case, the electric railroad company alleges, he went two blocks away from his home for his electric supply, and strung his wires over houses.

It is said that no less than a thousand business men are occupying brightly-lighted stores, and that they do not pay a cent for their illumination. Each has a copper connection with a convenient trolley wire which furnishes them a better quality of light than the regular lighting companies. Wholesale prosecutions, it is said, will follow.

## SHAKE SARAH'S HAND.

Students Honored by the Divine Actress and Given Comps to "La Tosca."

A New York Recorder special from Rochester, N. Y., says: Seventy-five students of the University of Rochester met Mme. Sarah Bernhardt by appointment to all stations south of Cairo on the line of the Illinois Central and the Yazoo & Mississippi Valley Railroad, except Monroe and New Orleans, from stations in Illinois, Wisconsin and Indiana, June 8th and 22d, July 17th and 21st; also on June 9th and 23d, July 17th and 21st; in addition to stations in the South and Southwest.

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a day, no matter how warm the weather. And yet the task isn't such a burdensome one, even in weather as warm as the present, when you have a gas range. If you have not a gas range there is certainly no good reason why you should not get one at once. In the first place the price of fuel gas has been reduced to \$1.25 a thousand. This makes

## Gas the Cheapest Fuel

you can use. It is cheaper than gasoline at 11 cents a gallon, and then it make no odor; there is no danger and no insurance permit is necessary. You turn the valve, you touch the match, and when the meal is done another turn of the wheel and the expense stops.

## How Simple! How Comfortable!

You do not know what you are missing if you are still doing your cooking over an old-fashioned coal stove or a dangerous, ill-smelling gasoline makeshift. Not only has the price of fuel gas been reduced, but in order to get as many gas ranges into operation as possible this summer,

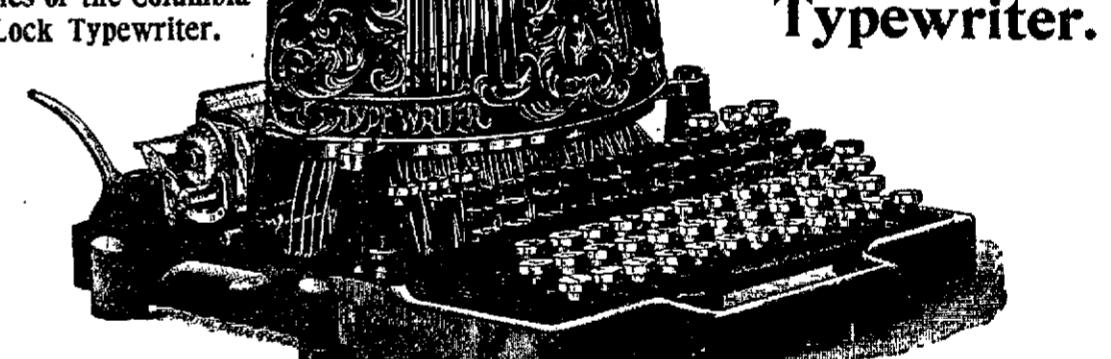
## The Decatur Gaslight &amp; Coke Co.

have bought a large number of various styles of the latest and best gas ranges made and are offering them at exactly what they cost to manufacture. If you are interested in the subject, and every woman should be, call at their office in the

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## Petition to Sell Real Estate.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, vs.  
MACON COUNTY.

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Ladies' Oxfords at 98c a pair, worth  
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Lot of size 34 Calico Waists at 25c,  
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Ladies' New Linen Collars, standing  
and turnover, at 15c.  
Ladies' Cuffs at 25c.  
Lot of Remnants of Carpets at 25c  
and 35c a yard.  
Stair Carpet at 25c and 30c a yard.

Broke Down at Litchfield.

The Wabash eastern train due here from  
St. Louis at 11:30 a. m., was about an  
hour late today. The engine broke  
down between Mt. Olive and Litchfield.  
A freight engine was secured and brought  
the train to this city.

#### Battled at Maroa

Saturday night the Republicans at Maroa  
got up an impromptu McKinley and  
Hobart ratification. They had a pyro-  
technic display and hurried for the  
nominees. There were no addresses. It  
was a general hurrah.

#### GOING AND COMING.

Bicyclists from the East and West Arrive  
in Decatur.  
Five touring bicyclists were in the city  
today and met in front of the St. Nicholas  
between 12 and 1 o'clock for a chat.  
Two were going east and three were  
bound for the west. Nelson Cummings and  
Charles A. Powers, of St. Louis, left  
their home Sunday morning on a train  
and rode to Springfield. They came from  
the state capital this forenoon on their  
wheels and after a short rest, have started  
on their journey east. They are bound  
for Cleveland, Ohio, and intend to cover  
every mile on their wheels.

The party of three came from Geauga  
county, Ohio. They are Marquis Fuller,  
Arthur Fuller and Earl Ludlow. They  
left home eleven days ago and have rid-  
den 665½ miles. They were laid up two  
days by severe storms. They will go over-  
land all the way to Beatrice, Neb. Arthur  
Fuller had to buy a new wheel at this  
point.

The young men say they are making  
the trip just for recreation and fun.

#### GRIEVANCE DAY.

Many Tax Payers Call on Assessor Keefer  
to Have a Look.

This has been a busy day for Asses-  
sor Keefer at his office in the court house.  
It is the grievance day for the tax payers,  
the only chance the citizen has to make  
a kick about improper assessments, if any  
have been made, with hope of having  
errors rectified before it is forever too late.  
There have been scores of callers at the  
office to look at the books, mainly in  
most cases to note inequalities in the val-  
uations of properties in certain blocks  
and on certain streets. Some property  
owners naturally differ with the assessor  
in the book valuation of property, and  
where mistakes are apparent nota-  
tions are made for consideration and possi-  
ble adjustment. Parties who on pre-  
vious assessments were assessed improve-  
ments on vacant lots had justice done  
them and every opportunity was afforded  
the multitude to have matters put right.

In the Circuit Court,  
Judge Vail heard a few motions this  
morning and adjourned until 9 a. m. to  
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morning.

William F. Peniwell vs. James' Chew,  
partition; referred to master for proof and  
conclusions.

Walter Johnson vs. Ida Johnson, di-  
vorce; decree pro confesso.

Benjamin F. Claghorn vs. May Cleg-  
horn, divorce; decree an prayed and custody  
of children awarded to the father.

Savings Fund Building association vs  
Charles M. Penrod et al. foreclosure; de-  
cree pro confesso as to defendants not an-  
swering and referred to master for proof  
and conclusions.

People's Savings and Loan association  
vs. William M. Lewis et al. foreclosure;  
decree pro confesso against E. J. Colby  
and referred to master.

Isaac A. Harkrader vs. George Priest  
et al., assumption; default and judgment  
reversed.

Undertakers Change Places.

D. Brantlinger, the undertaker, who  
has been conducting his establishment in  
the old tabernacle building at the corner  
of North Main and Prairie avenue, will  
move into the room recently occupied by  
the Farmer's bank. Mr. Brantlinger will  
have the place handsomely furnished and  
fitted up and expects to be in his new  
quarters in a short time. Peter Perl, who  
had rented the bank room will open an  
undertaking establishment in his own  
building which Mr. Brantlinger will vacate.

Eric Powers is Flyer.

The well-known racing mare, Eric  
Powers, sold to A. Scott, Lima, Ohio,  
by Brenneman Bros., this city, won two  
out of three races at Lima last week and  
lowered her record to 2:10½. She went  
two other heats in 2:12 and 2:18. Before  
the season closes it is expected that she  
will make a mile in 2:06. The managers of  
the Decatur Trotting association ex-  
pect Eric Powers here to go in the  
free-for-all pace. The meeting will be held  
August 18, 19, 20 and 21.

Death of John Coombs.

John Coombs died of paralysis at 10:30  
o'clock Sunday morning, June 21, at his  
residence one mile and a half southeast of  
Elwin, aged 55 years. The deceased  
leaves a wife and three children, Mrs.  
Charles Knipple, Henry and Miss Minnie  
Coombs. The funeral will be held from  
the residence Tuesday morning at 10  
o'clock. The services will be conducted  
by Rev. A. M. Danley and the burial will  
be at Mt. Gilead cemetery.

Felt from a Street Car.

James McGowin, living at 1157 East  
Orchard street, was accidentally thrown  
from a street car returning from River-  
side Sunday afternoon. He struck the  
ground in such a way that the whole  
weight of his body came on his right  
shoulder, breaking the right collar bone.  
He was taken to Dr. A. M. Drew's office  
where he was given the necessary surgical  
attention.

A Solemn Occasion.

The Illinois Undertakers' association  
will hold their state convention at Bloom-  
ington tomorrow and Wednesday. It will  
be attended by 100 delegates. It will be  
a solemn gathering of funeral directors  
who will exchange views on the best  
methods of burying the dead.

Diphtheria at Boddy.

There has been a good deal of diphthe-  
ria at Boddy lately. Several new cases  
have been reported among which is the  
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Turner,  
who is ill with the disease.

## WE JOLLIFY TO-NIGHT

Republicans to Ratify National  
State and County Tickets



#### AT THE TABERNACLE TO-NIGHT.

Good Speakers Will be Present to  
Address the People—Let  
Everybody Turn  
Out.

Everybody Invited to Come and Ratify  
the Nomination of McKinley and  
Hobart, Tanner and Other  
State, District and County  
Nominees.

Arrangements have been completed for  
the Republican jollification meeting to-  
night at the Tabernacle when the na-  
tional, state and county nominations will  
be ratified.

Every Republican and all voters in fa-  
vor of honest money and good government  
are urged to be present. The ladies are  
especially invited.

The speakers will be Hon. W. G. Coch-  
ran and Hon. James E. Sharrock, nomi-  
nees for representatives.

Besides Mr. Cochran and Mr. Sharrock,  
local speakers, will be called upon to ad-  
dress the meeting.

Good music by Goodman's band and  
the Republican drum corps. The band  
and drum corps will escort the speakers  
from the St. Nicholas to the Tabernacle.

The exercises will begin at 8 o'clock.

#### PERSONAL MENTION.

George Short was in Bement Sunday  
visiting friends.

Miss Ida Pratt will return to Chicago  
on Wednesday.

Mrs. G. W. Roberts is ill at her home  
on Leeland avenue.

Perry Roderick, of Corro Gordo, visited  
in the city Sunday.

Miss Maud Hughes has gone to Casper  
where she will visit friends.

Joseph Murphy, of St. Louis, who was  
in the city, has returned home.

Attorney B. F. Shiple and Captain H.  
Bar, of Maroa, were in the city today.

Mrs. Michael Cassell, who has been ill  
at her home on East North street, is bet-  
ter.

T. A. Pritchett arrived home this morn-  
ing from Niantic where he visited rela-  
tives.

John Clugston will leave tonight for  
Greencastle, Pa., where he will visit friends.

Mrs. E. A. Gastman came home this  
morning from Harristown where she vis-  
ited Sunday.

Miss Annie Sherrie has returned to  
her duties at Linn & Scruggs store after  
a vacation of two weeks.

Miss Alice Tyler, who has been in the  
city visiting her sister, Mrs. J. A. Marti-  
nweather, has returned to Cleveland, Ohio,  
where she has charge of a library.

Mrs. F. S. Archibald, of Lafayette,  
Ind., and Mrs. and Mrs. J. H. Mitchell, of  
Henderson, Ill., are visiting their parents,  
Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Baldridge, 1435  
North Church street.

T. C. Montgomery, of Newark, Ohio, a  
Loyal Republican who had been at St.  
Louis working and shouting for McKinley,  
is in the city visiting his brother, H.  
C. Montgomery.

Louis T. Rainey, who has been attend-  
ing the Lehigh university at Bethlehem,  
Pa., arrived home last night to visit his  
parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Rainey, dur-  
ing the vacation.

George Hester, of New Albany, Ind.,  
was in the city Saturday and Sunday visiting  
John Allen and family. Mr. Hester  
is the city clerk and county attorney at  
New Albany. He is a Republican and  
attended the St. Louis convention. He is  
an ardent McKinley supporter.

A Challenge.

The members of the Iroquois Junior  
base ball club challenge any nine of  
players under fifteen years for a game on  
a Saturday.

Delegates were in the City.

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breakfast was served. At 10 o'clock Rev.  
Mr. Mallory, chaplain at the state reform-  
atory, delivered a fine sermon to the  
young men. They marched back to the  
armory late last evening very much fatigued.

Funeral of Horace Morgan.

The funeral services over the remains  
of the late Horace Morgan, an account of  
whose death is given on another page of  
this issue, will be held tomorrow after-  
noon at 1:30 o'clock from the residence in  
St. John's place. Rev. F. N. Atlin of  
the Episcopal church, will have charge of  
the services and the remains will be taken  
to Springfield for burial.

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Sales of Real Estate.

Martha E. Seaton to John E. Heck-  
el, one-ninth interest in tract of land in 29,  
16, 3 east, \$886.

Bill of Sale.

Miss Bessie Oshinsky, niece of L. S.  
Germann, of the Savings bank here, has made  
a bill of sale to 30 acres of growing wheat  
at Costello & Crook for \$75.

Gregory pitched a great game for the  
People's club against the Dubuque Sun-  
day. It was 8 to 0 for Peoria, only two  
hits being made off Gregory's delivery.

Commander Cochran arrived in the city  
today from Sullivan. He will speak at  
the Tabernacle tonight at the McKinley  
ratification meeting.

The city council of Lincoln has decided  
to erect a neat hand stand in the park and  
other improvements will follow.

Highest of all in Leaving Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

IN THE POLICE COURT.

Justice Hardy Had a Lot of Offenders  
Before Him.

Justice Hardy did considerable business  
in his court this forenoon.

Mattle Jones, who had a habie in her  
arms, was fined \$25 and costs for keeping  
a bawdy house. The police made the raid  
Sunday night.

May Johnson, Minnie Kimball, Mrs.  
Hattie Garrett and Frank Garrett were  
found in the Jones place. All except  
Garrett were fined \$3 and costs each.

Garrett told the court his home was at  
Clinton and that he was the husband of  
Hattie. He exhibited his marriage license  
and said he had come to Decatur to take  
his wife back to Clinton. The court  
believed the story and did not fine Gar-  
rett.

Roy Coble was fined \$3 for carrying a  
concealed weapon and Melvin Hedenberg  
had to pay \$3 for disorderly conduct.

The cash bonds of Charles and John  
Kominski, total \$12.00, were forfeited.

Levi Creekmur on complaint of Edw. B.  
Baker, stood charged with taking prop-  
erty worth \$5 belonging to John Bennett.

The trial was set for next Saturday at 10  
a. m., and Creekmur was released on fur-  
nishing a bond for \$100 with C. F. H